Georgia Department of Community Health 2025 Projected Neonatal Intensive Care Bed Need

Rule:	111-2-224(3)(a)3(i) to (v)						(i)		(ii)	(iii)		(iv)	(v)	
NICU Planning	ing		Resident Live Births		Three Year Average	Projected Female Population in Horizon	Projected Resident Birth Rate in Horizon	Average NICU Patient Days from 2018 &	Projected NICU Patient Days in Horizon	Projected NICU Beds in Horizon	the 2019			
Area	2017	2018	2019	2017	2018	2019	Birth Rate	Year 2025	Year 2025	2019 AHQs	Year 2025	Year 2025	AHQ	
NICU 1	1,277,505	1,280,088	1,288,982	77,498	75,023	74,773	0.059	1,342,049	79,302	70,658	74,937	257	357	100
NICU 2	199,458	199,788	201,166	11,955	12,066	11,977	0.060	209,135	12,539	18,231	19,086	66	83	17
NICU 3	231,212	230,136	230,234	14,912	14,568	14,674	0.064	230,423	14,711	14,015	14,051	49	57	8
NICU 4	190,962	190,224	190,449	11,629	11,597	11,811	0.061	191,348	11,728	14,792	14,688	51	58	7
NICU 5	199,823	200,373	201,808	13,164	12,797	13,015	0.065	210,430	13,624	12,708	13,302	46	46	0
Total	2,098,960	2,100,609	2,112,639	129,158	126,051	126,250		2,183,385	131,904	130,403	136,064	469	601	132

NICU Aggregate Utilization [111-2-224(3)(a)4]								
NICU Planning Area	2018	2019	Meets 80% Standard Each Year?					
NICU 1	54%	54%	No					
NICU 2	60%	60%	No					
NICU 3	73%	61%	No					
NICU 4	50%	89%	No					
NICU 5	72%	78%	No					
Statewide	57%	61%						

Sources:

Resident Live Births 2017, 2018, and 2019 provided by Department of Public Health.

2017, 2018, 2019, and 2025 Population: Resident Population Projections, 2013-2025, Governor's Office of Planning and Budget (4/1/2017 Release)

Patient Days of Care and Available Neonatal Beds from the Annual Hospital Questionnaire, Perinatal Addendum